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# BROTHER OF SCOTT IS REPORTED FOUND

## ANDREWS BEGINS RE-ORGANIZATION OF LIQUOR LAW ENFORCEMENT DEPARTMENT

### MARSHALS FORCES TO CONSIDER CHANGES DUE TO CORRUPTION

#### Attempt To Divorce Prohibition From Politics Hopeless

Washington, July 24.—With the situation charged with political static, General C. Andrews, prohibition commissioner, marshalled his war council today and prepared to complete re-enforcement reorganization.

Reappointment of prohibition administrators, shifting of a number of originally announced districts and reports to the department of justice indicating widespread corruption in enforcement throughout the country, were the chief topics for the general staff.

The government's effort to divorce re-organizations of prohibition from politics has been tossed aside as hopeless. One official indicated that organizing any government activity sans politics is about as possible as perpetual motion.

The Republican national committee, it was learned, is taking an active interest in the new prohibition machinery, both from the standpoint of personal and politically equitable boundaries for districts.

One cabinet officer—Postmaster General New—James C. White, of Boston; secretary of the Republican committee and right hand man to Senator Butler (Republican) of Massachusetts besides numerous lesser lights in the political world have seen Andrews within the last twenty four hours.

The visitors were so numerous that Andrews finally cancelled all engagements in order to make preparations for the "board of strategy" meetings when he will see Commissioner of Internal Revenue Blair, Prohibition Commissioner Hayes and other brigade and battalion commanders.

Virtually every member of Andrews' war council have a careful regard for political influence. While Andrews himself has borne the brunt of the political attack, congressional and state leaders have been active in putting their claims before Blair and Hayes.

While Andrews has intimated that he "may stand pat" on the present district plans, it was understood today that a number of important changes are under consideration.

Information from South-Hampton, Rhode Island, where Secretary of the Treasury Mellon is spending the summer, indicated that Mellon is satisfied with the progress of prohibition regulation.

Acting Secretary Winston said that progress is as rapid as can be expected in view of the magnitude of the problem. The new system will go into effect August 1. Winston said, although he pointed out that actually the transformation cannot be accomplished in one day.

### MOVE RE-TRIAL OF DOLLINGS HEADS

Columbus, O., July 24—Decision to move the re-trial of William G. Benham, president, and Dwight Harrison, vice president of the defunct R. L. Dollings Company, at the September term of United States court here, following reversal of their conviction by the United States circuit court of appeals sitting at Grand Rapids, Michigan, was announced here today by United States District Attorney Raveth E. Mau, Cincinnati. Federal Judge Smith W. Hickenlooper, Cincinnati, will preside. Judge Benson W. Hough, Columbus, being disqualified because he was prosecuting attorney at the first trial, when Benham and Harrison were convicted and sentenced to serve twenty years in the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kansas.

### GIDEONS MERGER; TO LAY OUT PROGRAM

Columbus, O., July 24—United States and Canadian organizations of the Christian Commercial Travelers of North America, familiarly known as the Gideons, following their consolidation here last Thursday were scheduled to adopt its new constitution and by-laws today and to plan for future missionary work of the amalgamated body.

Hope was expressed by Samuel R. Boggs, United States president, that eventually the scope of the organization would embrace the world. The annual dinner of the organization will be held tonight and officers will be elected Saturday.

### DON'T MURDER MY SON, MOTHER'S PLEA

Cleveland, O., July 24.—"I'm greatly relieved, now perhaps they'll find out who killed Joseph Maurer."

This was the comment today of Mrs. Rilla May Scott, mother of Russell Scott, who was saved from death on the gallows early this morning by the intervention of a court writ.

"Of course Russell isn't insane, unless brooding over his unjust fate has made him so. The truth will come out now. God is good."

Mrs. Scott, her hair gray with the passing of years and her great trouble, has been living quietly in the little town of Bay Village, ten miles from Cleveland. She has been supporting herself by working in a department store.

Late last night she dispatched a telegram to Governor Len Small, of Illinois, asking him to save Russell.

"If you are a Christian, don't murder my son," the telegram read.

Now with the immediate threat

### SUICIDE OR MURDER PROVES PUZZLE AS AUTO DISCOVERED

Wreck, Shot And Whiskey Leads To Probe Of Possible Bloodshed

Lima, O., July 24—Allen County police are confronted with an accident mystery, which they fear may develop into case of suicide or murder.

Early this morning Mulford Tapscott, farmer living three miles east of Lima, was aroused by the sound of a crash near his home. He thought but little of it. Ten minutes later the sharp report of a pistol came a short distance down the road.

At 4:30 o'clock when he arose he found a new 1925 model Buick coupe overturned in the ditch and completely demolished. In the auto and scattered near it were 144 gallons of whiskey.

Sheriff Crosson was summoned and seized both the liquor and the wrecked car.

Sheriff's deputies are beating the woods and fields surrounding the scene of accident in the supposition that the driver of the machine being badly injured, had dragged himself away and then committed suicide.

The other theory of the shot following the crash is that the liquor car was being pursued by highjackers who either shot and injured a man in the road or were wounded.

The car was head toward Columbus when it overturned. It carried license plates 446-272 issued in Columbus, tags 284-525, issued in St. Clairsville and a set of Michigan tags, 30-475-B were also found in the car.

### CAILLAUX PLANS TO ATTEND MEETING TO NEGOTIATE DEBTS

Paris, July 24.—Finance Minister Caillaux will go personally to Washington to participate in the negotiations of a settlement of the French war debt to the United States.

The cabinet today gave its unanimous approval to such a mission in the part of M. Caillaux. It leaves it entirely to the discretion of the finance minister to determine whether the exigencies of home affairs will permit his absence on the proposed mission.

M. Caillaux will later therefore determine whether he will accompany the debt commission to Washington or join in the negotiations at a later date.

In any event M. Caillaux's presence in Washington is believed assured. Political observers were unanimous in declaring that France could on no account even consider such a thing as M. Caillaux's absence from the Washington parleys. His presence from the start would greatly enhance France's prestige.

The cabinet also approved the plans of Foreign Minister Briand and M. Caillaux for sending experts to London next week to discuss the French debt to Great Britain.

### SHERIFF PROTESTS

St. Clairsville, July 24—Protests that the Belmont County commissioners are making the sheriff's office a collection agency for the Belmont County Dry Law Enforcement League, were made here by Sheriff S. M. Dunfee. He was ordered by the commissioners to round up fifteen of the twenty-five dry law violators arrested by agents of the league and paroled last year. Dunfee said the order meant that if the fines were paid the county would get nothing, the league only benefitting.

### SPINSTERS KILLED AND ROBBED; SEEK MISSING AUTOISTS

Hudson, N. H., July 24—Two autoists in a batteene car were sought today as the slayers of two aged spinsters, Miss Helen E. Gillis, 80, and her sister, Miss Georgia Gillis, 77, who were clubbed to death in their white farm house here.

Two strange men, police discovered, left their car with a New Hampshire registration in a garage near the scene of the crime about the time the sisters were murdered. The car mysteriously disappeared from the garage that night.

Police believe robbery was the motive.

### FAVORS RESTRICTION

Columbus, July 24—The "great need of more stringent immigration restrictions" to check the "alarming growth" in the population of Ohio's state insane hospitals, due largely to the foreign element, is urged by John E. Harper, state director of welfare in his annual report, made public today. The insane population in the hospitals is 13,260. Harper said, an average of 214 per 100,000 of population. The average is far higher than a quarter century ago, Harper said; but he pointed out that a much larger proportion of mental defectives are now being confined in hospitals than 25 years ago.

### Manager's Budget To Call For Levies Cutting Rate .4 Mills

Xenia will pay a lower tax rate next year, thanks to economy measures of the city administration, according to tentative budget figures prepared by City Manager S. O. Hale.

The tentative budget prepared by the manager, asks for levies

totalling only \$70,900 as compared with \$74,300 last year and will result in a rate reduction from 6.4 mills to 6.0 mills, or an actual city rate of only \$.8 per \$1,000 worth of valuation.

Supposing that the levies of all other taxing subdivisions remain constant next year, the total rate paid by Xenians will be \$25.80 as compared with \$26.20 this year and something more than \$27 per thousand last year. If the tentative budget figures are allowed,

### Princess Hermine Can Not Answer Query Whether Kaiser Hopes To Regain Throne

### TO SEEK DISMISSAL OF EVOLUTION CASE ON TECHNICALITIES

#### Attempt To Avoid Religious-Scientific Clash

Washington, July 24.—The full force of the legal department of the federal government will be exerted to avoid a clash between religion and science in the national capital's evolution case, scheduled to be heard in the District of Columbia supreme court next Tuesday, it was learned.

With this end in view, the defense will seek to have dismissed on legal technicalities the suit brought by Loren H. Wittner seeking to stop salaries of teachers inculcating "disrespect to the Holy Bible."

The government has been brought into the case by the naming of Frank White, treasurer of the United States, as a defendant. A representative of the department of justice, under direction of Assistant Attorney General Letts will be on the defense staff. In addition numerous minor flaws in the petition itself, the defense is planning to concentrate on having the case thrown out on the grounds it is a tax payer's suit and involves no material personal interest on the part of Wittner.

The defense will contend that the supreme court has decided that a taxpayer, without a personal interest, cannot enjoin public funds.

On the part of government authorities there is admittedly a strong desire to prevent, if possible, recurrence here of anything like the Scopes trial in Tennessee.

Wittner's petition opens the way for a possible far flung battle between religious and scientific beliefs and the defense wants to stifle that clash before it can gain headway in federal courts.

### BLUEJACKETS QUIT PARADE TO ASSIST SPECTATORS HURT

Melbourne Citizens Watching Americans Hurt As Balcony Falls To Street

Melbourne, Australia, July 24—Fifteen spectators, watching the parade of sailors from the American fleet in the gala welcome program today were injured when the balcony under them collapsed, throwing them to the street.

The bluejackets, from the great American squadron halted their march and rushed to aid the injured. They resumed the parade after the victims had been taken care of.

The stand was crowded with cheering Australians when the crash came. The street below also was filled with spectators and some of these were among the injured.

Melbourne has opened its arms to the American fleet. Every motion picture house and legitimate theater in the city welcomed the visitors, refusing to accept their money. Reception for the officers and dances for the men entertained the hosts of bluejackets.

Admiral Robert E. Coontz, commander in chief of the fleet, expressed his delight today at the warm reception.

### ENLARGE HOSPITAL

Chillicothe, July 24—Improvements now under way here at the U. S. Veterans' Bureau Hospital will greatly assist in the treatment of invalid veterans hospitalized here, it is announced. Work has been started on enlargement of the clinical treatment and occupational therapy service.

Alterations and extensions are being made to the main building for hydrotherapy and electrotherapy treatments. These extensions will increase the capacity of the hospital in this regard 100 per cent. At present, 125 of the 490 patients being cared for here are being given these treatments. Dr. G. A. Rowland, chief of staff, said.

they will mark the second large decrease in levies made by the city itself in two years, showing a rate trend downward at a time when other expenses have tended to increase.

The levy is based on a property valuation of \$11,825,630. Last year's budget called for an appropriation of \$41,100 for current expenses and \$33,200 for the sinking fund. The budget prepared by City Manager Hale for this year, asks an appropriation of \$41,900 for

"How Can I Answer That?" She Asks Interviewer When Question Is Put—Charges Against Wilhelm Result of Propaganda, She Says

(Editor's Note—Herewith is presented third installment of S. D. Weyer's remarkable interview with Princess Hermine, the kaiser's wife. In previous installments the empress without an empire denounced as falsehoods and malicious gossip the rumors of domestic discord at Doorn.)

Yesterday, she dealt with the charge of cowardice that has been laid at Wilhelm's door because of his flight to Holland, and she revealed for the first time that his left arm is entirely dead and has always been so—a fact that even his close associates never knew. She told how the kaiser used to hook the reins of his horse in this lifeless hand and ride miles through slippery streets, saluting with his right hand. A spill would have meant serious injury perhaps—certainly ignominy.

"I such a man a physical coward?" she asked.

By S. DUNBAR WEYER

Wild Bad, Black Forest, Germany, July 24—It has been said already that Hermine's outstanding characteristic is courageous, unflinching honesty. Presently, as the conversation glided to the ground of possible hopes for the future I was to have a striking illustration of that quality.

"I said: 'Your majesty, I would like to put a straight question to you in a straight way and I wish you would answer it straight from the shoulder—if you can. If not, I should prefer if you wouldn't answer it at all. I am convinced that you love truth above all and I should like to go away from you feeling that our frank talk has not been marred by a single evasion.'

"Please ask me," rejoined the empress, bending forward in unconcealed curiosity.

"Does the kaiser hope to return to Germany some day to resume the throne?"

### ANSWERS HONESTLY

The Kaiserin Hermine's eyes were fixed upon mine in a steady, almost penetrating gaze and remained until she had completed her answer. For a few seconds there was the tensest silence. If ever a person tried to be absolutely fair, absolutely honest, not only with the questioner but with herself as well, it was the kaiser's second wife at that moment.

It would have been the easiest thing in the world for her to have snapped out a positive "no" or with fancied emphasis, "why certainly not." I should have been none the wiser. But she was searching her soul—and remissively across the distance separating her from him the kaiser's soul, trying conscientiously, to find and give the answer that he would give, if she herself, his best friend and intimate, had asked him.

Presently there came a sort of helpless gesture of two white hands which in the tension had twisted themselves into little fists.

Her words came clear and firm:

"Now what can I reply to that?"

A new thought flashed across my mind and with the swiftness of the cross examiner it was put into words:

"Do you hope for that yourself, your majesty?"

Again there was just a second's silence; again she looked at me unperturbed, unrattled with utter innocence.

She had given me a clear answer.

"I think the local educational effect of the trial was considerable and worth while," Dr. Metcalf said.

"The people in the region around Dayton are just like any other people in natural ability, unless, indeed, they have more than average natural ability, but they have had very limited contact with the world's thinking and they are decades behind the times in thought. As a result of the trial there are a good many persons who are inquiring with open minds about this matter of opposition between religion and science."

Declaring that there appeared to be agreement among the people to science "because they believed that to be necessary in championing religion," Dr. Metcalf said the heartiest applause at any time during the trial came when Dudley Field Malone, for the defense was speaking in support of freedom of speech.

Within five minutes and before the attorneys and Thomas Scott, father of the condemned man could reach the pail, Scott had been told of the ruling by newspapermen assigned to the death watch. He hung his head and seemed unable to speak.

Before the court sat the attorney general.

"I cannot bring myself to get down on my knees and begging for my life."

"There is nothing I can say that I have not already said. I am innocent of the crime for which I am sentenced to die. The great crime will be the one committed in the name of the law by the state of Illinois tomorrow morning."

"I need these last few hours to try and remove the bitterness and anger from my heart against those who are deliberately responsible for this awful injustice. This is going to be very hard."

"God have mercy on them, not only for that which they do to me, but for the unspeakable and indescribable suffering and agony they bring on those who love me."

Have something to say to them in The Gazette and Republican.

### Can You Help?



# CHURCHES

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
Corner Orange and Bellbrook.  
F. H. Landgrave, Pastor.  
Sabbath School 9:30; Morning  
Worship 10:45; evening worship  
7:30; Prayer Meeting Wednesday  
evening at 7:30. The public is in-  
vited to all the services of the  
Church.

**SECOND U. P.**  
West Market at West Street.  
Charles P. Proudfit, Pastor.

9:30 A. M. Young People's meeting  
in the Prayer room, Second floor  
10 A. M. Bible School J. H. Nagley,  
Supt. 11 A. M. Sermon by the pastor.  
Topic "The Higher Education of the  
Soul".

7:30 P. M. Union service of the town  
churches in the Reformed Church.  
Sermon by the Rev. W. H. Tilford.  
The Church Session will meet in the  
pastor's study at 10:45 A. M.

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
Frank W. Stanton, Pastor.

Sunday school will meet in the  
basement of the church at 9:15.  
Chas. Bone the superintendent will  
preside. The church is undergoing  
repairs, and there will be no church  
services until the middle of August.  
All our people are urged to worship  
in the services of the other churches!

Prayer service on Wednesday  
night will be held at the home of  
Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Turner, 224 W.  
Second St. Mrs. C. L. Spencer will  
preside. The union service Sunday  
evening will be held in the Reform  
Church. Rev. W. H. Tilford will  
preach.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
R. E. Brown, Pastor.

Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; morning  
worship, 10:30 a.m. The pastor will  
preach on "A Trip to the Mountains."  
Evening service at 7:30 p.m. Song  
service and sermon. We will have  
the second of the series of messages  
on "The Happy Life."

**FIRST REFORMED CHURCH**  
North Detroit at Church St.

David A. Sellers, Pastor.  
9:15 a.m., Bible School, W. L. Miller,  
Supt.; 10:30 a.m., morning worship;  
subject: "Running the Race."  
"Let us not neglect the assembling of  
ourselves together." 7:30 p.m. The  
union service will be held in this  
church. The sermon will be given  
by Rev. W. H. Tilford. 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday, prayer and Bible study.

**FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
W. H. Naffziger, Pastor.

Sunday School at 9:15 a.m.; preaching  
at 10:30 a.m. Mr. Bruce Kreis  
of Wittenberg Seminary will occupy  
the pulpit instead of the pastor.

**CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Church School at 9:15 a.m.; morning  
prayer and sermon at 10:30. These  
are the last services in the church  
until September sixth, as the  
church will be closed during the  
month of August.

**FRIENDS CHURCH**  
Market and King

W. H. Tilford, Pastor.

Regular services Sunday. Sunday  
School at 9:15. Morning worship  
10:30. In the evening we will join  
with the Reformed Church in Union  
services. Union services at 7:30  
o'clock.

**TRINITY METHODIST**

V. F. Brown, Pastor.

The pastor and wife having re-  
turned from their vacation will be  
glad to welcome all to the service.

Sabbath. Sunday School, 9:15 A. M.  
Public worship with sermon by the  
pastor, 10:30 o'clock. Good music.  
Trinity joins in the Union service  
at the Reformed Church. 7:30 P. M.  
at which time the Rev. W. H. Til-  
ford will preach. Mid-week services  
Wednesday evening, 7:30 and in  
addition to the regular service, we  
shall hear vacation echo from the  
membership.

**BELLBROOK M. P.**

W. J. Elliott, Pastor.  
Quarterly meeting will be held  
at the Bellbrook Methodist Protes-  
tant Church Sunday afternoon, July  
26 at 2:30.

**NEW BURLINGTON**

Mr. and Mrs. George Buckley of  
Wilmington spent Sunday with Mrs.  
Buckley's cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph  
Mann.

Prof. and Mrs. Schweigart and  
daughter of Fremont, are guests of  
Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Noggle.

Mrs. Nieswonger and son of West  
Manchester are guests of her brother-in-  
law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Howard  
McClure and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Corr of Xenia  
have been visiting their uncles,  
Charles and Perry Hansell. Mr. Corr  
is recovering from an operation for  
goitre.

Mrs. William McCray and Miss  
Mattice Stiles spent Sunday with Mrs.  
H. O. Kearns and family at Clarksville.

The W. C. T. U. met Tuesday af-  
ternoon at the home of Mrs. Homer  
Curless.

Edward Troxell returned to his  
home in Tiffin, Ohio Tuesday. He  
was accompanied by his uncle, Adam  
Rineman who will make his home  
with him.

Misses Jennie, Josephine and Lizzie  
Reeves of Waynesville spent Monday  
at the home of their brother, William  
Reeves and family.

Mrs. Mary Lemar is spending the  
week with her daughter, Mrs. Weldon  
Heller at Oakland.

Charles Creighton and family of  
Franklin and H. B. Reeves and family  
of Richmond, Indiana, were cal-  
lers in our village Sunday.

Mrs. Elmer Lemar spent the past  
week with her sister, Mrs. A. Peter-  
son at Xenia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stanley and  
daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and  
Mrs. Walter Stanley.

The members of the Embroidery  
Club and their families spent Wed-  
nesday at the Zoo.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor and family  
spent Sunday with cousins at Oregonia, O.

William H. Harlan and Miss Maude  
Harlan spent Wednesday and Thurs-  
day with their sister, Mrs. J. C. Peck-  
in, who with her family leave Thurs-  
day for New York where they sail  
Saturday for England.

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J. A. Thuma, prominent Jamestown  
business man, died at her home on  
Clamans Avenue, Jamestown at 4  
o'clock Friday morning.

In failing health for the last two  
years, Mrs. Thuma was stricken by  
paralysis last Tuesday, and following  
the stroke never regained consciousness.

Mrs. Thuma was born in Parnassus,  
Va., seventy years ago, and spent her  
early life there. Her marriage to Mr.  
Thuma took place in Virginia, and the  
fiftieth anniversary of that event was  
celebrated at the Thuma home last April. At that time  
fifty relatives and friends of the  
family were entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. Thuma moved to  
Jamestown from Virginia more than  
forty years ago. Mr. Thuma has  
been engaged in the lumber business  
in Jamestown many years, his son  
Ernest now being associated with him.  
The firm name is Adams and Thuma.

Surviving Mrs. Thuma are her  
husband and three children: Mrs.  
George Eckerle of Xenia; Ernest  
Thuma, and Mrs. O. F. Reeves of  
Jamestown; three sisters and a  
brother; Mrs. Mary Stanbus of Lees-  
ville; Mrs. Charles Earley of Wil-  
mington, Ky.; Mrs. J. L. Landies of  
Cuba, Ill. and W. D. Clark of  
Cuba, Ill.

Mrs. Thuma was a member of the  
Methodist Episcopal Church of  
Jamestown. Funeral services will be  
held at the home Monday at 2  
o'clock, conducted by the Rev.  
Joseph Bennett. Interment will be  
made in Jamestown Cemetery.

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## UNITY OF ALL CHURCHES PLEA OF COLLEGE PRESIDENT AT SUNDAY SCHOOL MEETING

President W. R. McChesney of  
Cedarville College, addressing the  
Greene County Sunday School con-  
vention, at the Yellow Springs M. E.  
Church, Thursday night, expressed a  
wish that all Christian denominations  
might be united. One's denomina-  
tion he said, would never alone get him  
to Heaven. "Depend upon your de-  
nomination to get you into Heaven,  
and you are lost," he said. Dr. Mc-  
Chesney's topic was "The Christian."

Mrs. R. M. Sandy, state Sunday  
school worker, addressing the conven-  
tion on the subject of The Daily Vac-  
ation Bible School, said this plan  
often reaches many children that the  
Sunday school does not, as it has a  
tendency to draw the community to-  
gether without distinction. She said  
the co-operation of ministers, church  
leaders and superintendents of Sun-  
day Schools is necessary as without  
them nothing can be done. She sug-  
gested the church take care of its  
share of the expenses of the vacation  
Bible school in its annual budget so  
that funds will be ready for the  
work when the course opens. She  
recommended the opening of the  
Bible school as soon as the regular  
term of school-closes, as the children  
can be more readily brought together  
and their minds will be more receptive  
at that time.

"Find me a better moral code than  
the Bible and I will lay the Bible  
aside," said the Rev. L. L. Gray, pas-  
tor of the Jamestown Presbyterian  
Church, whose topic was "The Bible  
in the Public School." Bible teach-  
ing, the pastor said, is the best  
method of moulding character and  
clean conscience, and build up good  
character and strong foundations.  
"Bible teaching," he said, "has changed  
the character of people. We must  
stand by the Bible. Christ and his  
followers never objected to progress."

G. S. Richmond, state Sunday  
school worker, in his talk on the  
Week Day School of Religion said

the Vacation Bible School was read  
by Miss Rosa Johnson of Spring  
Valley. A reading was also given  
by Miss Alma Mendenhall of Spring  
Valley.

The resignation of J. H. Nagley of  
Xenia as treasurer of the Sunday  
School Association was presented to  
the convention Thursday. Mr.

Nagley's annual report was read by  
the president, the Rev. W. B. Letts.

Miss Bortha Day of Jamestown, sec-

retary of the association, read her  
annual report.

The convention closed Friday af-

ternoon. United States Senator S. J.

Fess was a speaker at the close

session. Election of officers was as-

signed on the program for Friday.

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## LINES.

DALMISTS tell us of the life line, which by its length or brevity, measures the span of life.

But modern conditions have taught us of another life line, that measures life by its breadth rather than its length.

It is the white line on the street or road, painted there by the state highway department, to regulate the flow of motor traffic at the dangerous curves.

Thus we are coming to be a nation living by the regulation of white lines on the street. Once pedestrians and vehicular traffic mingled fearlessly and the problem of traffic was a question that only the prophets foresaw.

The automobile and its increasing burden on traffic arteries, changed all of that. Now white lines designate the place for the traffic of one direction and the traffic of the other direction. White lines point the safety zone for the pedestrian and the conduit for the vehicle. White lines designate where autos may be parked, or where the street is reserved for car stops.

Now white lines split the road in half and give to traffic of one direction a half and to traffic of the opposite direction, the other half. The white line offers no practical barrier but to the wise motorist it bears a menace more compelling than barbed wire entanglements.

Its breadth spells life or death, and it is a narrow line. On one side, following the designating arrows the motorist is safe. On the other he becomes in juxtaposition with the opposite traffic flow and it is on such situations that accidents and injuries and death build their catastrophes.

Now the churches have put out many arrows designating a straight and narrow path. But because their white lines are not painted along the paths of pleasure or business, they do not have the compelling influence of the white lines of the highway department, which by their breadth, spell life and death.

## CONGRESSMAN BRAND'S SALARY INCREASE

WHEN the salary increase bill was jockeyed through Congress and a record vote avoided, Congressman Brand of Ohio, absent at the time, announced he would refuse to accept the \$2500 increase in pay the bill provided. Congressman Brand lives at Urbana, represents the Seventh District, in which nine counties are grouped, and he has made good on the refusal he announced. His pay check for the larger amount comes, but each month he deducts one-twelfth of the \$2500 increase from the check and puts it in a special deposit. His plan was to use that fund for the advantage of the people of his district.

It did not take long to find a place. Road building is one of the activities in those counties and Congressman Brand thinks farmers ought to have gravel and crushed stone paved roads if they want them. He is using the funds to purchase stone crushers for the counties where they can be used to save large sums for the property owners. He

plans to help each county secure the thing most needed, rock crusher, road drags or something else that contributes to the unbuilding of the highways and the convenience of the public.

Giving to the people of the district each year \$2500 is a new form of pleasure for congressmen in Ohio, or any other state. Congressman Brand is the only Ohio congressman in the give-back-the-money class. He proposes to see that it goes where it will be of real service to the people of the county. He has been a faithful representative of the district when at Washington and he intends to be helpful when at home. Jesters sought to make merry with his statement that he would refund the increase but, if they thought he was jesting, they did not know the Urbana congressman. He is going ahead with the plan and can be counted on to go ahead to the end. It can hardly fail to interest the people of the nine counties in his district. It may interest the people of the entire state. It is so novel, so unusual.

## JUST FOLKS

Edgar A. Guest

### CONSOLATION

What comfort have I now to give,  
To soothe the heart to which has come?

That grief which leaves our senses numb?

That grief which makes it pain to live?

And darkens every path, and seems the end of all our happy dreams.

Oh, friend of mine, be brave, and know!

That never will she suffer so.

Together we have prayed that she might longer stay with her cares.

To fill the day with happiness.

But, oh, what bargains could there be.

What pledge or promise could we make?

To save ourselves this present ache.

And keep her here? Ten years? Ah, no!

Twould hurt us then to let her go.

There is no time that we could set

For parting. We who must remain

Are never ready for such pain.

Ever our prayer would be: "Not yet!"

Nor yet, dear God, another day.

With us let our beloved stay.

We must believe when falls the blow.

Prepared at home by stirring the powder in hot or cold water. No cooking.

That wisely God has willed it so.

## WILL THE MODERN DELILAH'S SHEARS BE THE UNDOING OF WAR?



1905-Twenty Years Ago-1925

D. L. Pfeiffer, Dayton, the well-known grain dealer, has purchased the famous half-mile track Jamestown and will maintain it for the benefit of Jamestown horsemen.

Xenia is well represented abroad this summer and quite a number are enjoying a delightful sojourn in foreign countries en-

gaged in either travel or study. The bid of Seasongood and Mayer of Cincinnati for the \$35,000 Market Street Improvement bonds being the highest was accepted by city council. The bid was \$701.50.

Attorney Charles Darlington left on Wednesday for Philadelphia, where he goes on a business trip to be absent until Saturday.

necessary to add an excess of salt at the beginning of a fermentation in the proportion of one pound for every ten pounds of cucumbers. The active stage of cucumber fermentation continues for ten to 30 days, depending largely on the temperature at which it is conducted. The most favorable temperature is 86 degrees Fahrenheit... more salt should be added gradually over a period of weeks.

"After being cured in brine, pickles must receive a processing in water to remove the excess of salt. If they are to be used as salt pickles, only a partial processing is required. If, however, they are to be made into sour, sweet or mixen pickles, the salt should be largely, but not completely, removed.... Put the pickles in a vessel, cover with water and heat slowly to about 120 degrees Fahrenheit at which temperature they should be held for from ten to 12 hours, being stirred frequently.

"Sour Pickles: After pickles have been processed sufficiently drain them well and cover with vinegar. After a week or ten days transfer the pickles to a vinegar of the strength desired. As the first vinegar used will in all cases be greatly reduced in strength by dilution with the brine contained in the pickles, it will be necessary to renew the vinegar after a few weeks."

The bulletin also contains invaluable hints on the making of sweet pickles, Dill Pickles, Mixed Pickles and Sauerkraut.

Tomorrow—The Ideal Guest Room.

## Efficient Housekeeping

By Laura A. Kirkman

### GETTING READY FOR PICKLING TOMORROW'S MENU

Breakfast	Coffee
Plums	
Cereal	
Frizzled Dried Beef	
Muffins	Coffee
Luncheon	
Baked Macaroni and Cheese	
Lettuce	French Dressing
Jam	Rolls
	Iced Tea
Dinner	
Spanish Omelet	
Corn-on-the-Cob	
Apple-Celery Salad	
Fruit Gelatine Dessert	
Coffee	

Every woman who wishes to make pickles this year should write to the United States Department of Agriculture for their free Farmers Bul-

letin No. 1438 entitled, "Making Fermented Pickles." I am going to tell you a few of the excellent things which that bulletin contains:

"Because of their shape, firmness or keeping quality, some varieties of cucumbers are better adapted for making pickles than others. Among the best of the pickle varieties are the Chicago Pickling, the Boston Pickling, and Snow's Perfection.

Cucumbers of practically all varieties, sizes and shapes, however, make good pickles.... They should be placed in brine not later than 24 hours after they have been gathered. Cucumbers contain approximately 90 percent of water. As this large water content reduces materially the salt concentration of any brine in which they are fermented, it is

not necessary to add an excess of salt at the beginning of a fermentation in the proportion of one pound for every ten pounds of cucumbers. The active stage of cucumber fermentation continues for ten to 30 days, depending largely on the temperature at which it is conducted. The most favorable temperature is 86 degrees Fahrenheit... more salt should be added gradually over a period of weeks.

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Oranges, California, Dozen 15c

Nice Pink Meat Cantaloupes, 3 for 25c

Bananas Golden Ripe, Dozen 25c

New Potatoes, No. 1, 5 pound 25c

Indiana Tip Top Melons, each 25c

Wine Sap Apples, 4 pound 25c

Nice Clean 2 inch Duchess Apples, Fine cookers, pound 25c

Fancy Yellow Elberta Peaches, 3 round 25c

Watermelons, Irish Greys 60c up

Pineapples, each 10c

Home Grown Sweet Corn, Tomatoes, Stringless Beans, Mangos, Beets, Carrots, Fancy Plums California, 15c pound, 2 pounds 15c. New Michigan Celery.

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# Today's Talks

## THE HALL OF FAME

In New York City they have a Hall of Fame which is a beautiful colonnade built about the outer edge of a group of college buildings, a part of New York University.

No one should visit New York City without seeing this Hall of Fame. It is something to inspire the discouraged and hearten the weary. Also, it is a sight to impel the heart to appreciate the great in life. As you silently read the inscriptions and quotations of those whose spirits hover above, you are impressed with the immensity of human character and of the ideas that have lifted it to where it may serve all mankind.

On the tablet to "Mark Twain" are these words:

"Loyalty to petrified opinion never yet broke a chain or freed a human soul."

And on the tablet to James Russell Lowell these words:

"No power can die that ever wrought for Truth;"

Thereby a law of nature is become

And lives unwithered in its blithe-some youth

When he who calls it forth is but a name."

And on the tablet to Robert E. Lee are these words:

"Duty then is the sublimest word in our language. Do your duty in all things. You cannot do more. You shall never wish to do less."

It is interesting to note that brother and sister are there in the names of Harriet Beecher Stowe and Henry Ward Beecher.

## BIJOU THEATRE

TO-NIGHT

## The Way Of A Girl

With

Eleanor Boardman, Matt Moore and William Russell

Also

## The Pacemakers

Jammed to the hilt with roars and screams of laughter

## SATURDAY MATINEE AND NIGHT

Father Says: "I just can't get that boy of mine to settle down."

Mother Says: "When I was seventeen, a girl had to be home by nine o'clock."

Johnny Says: "I'll bet Pa was no angel when he was my age."

## CITY AUDITOR'S REPORT SHOWS BONDED DEBT IS BEING DIMINISHED IN XENIA

Economy measures since the present works debt now stands at \$317,500 which is gradually being paid off yearly at the rate of \$12,000 from the income of the department itself.

The total bond issue debt is \$670,600, divided as follows: Waterworks debt of \$317,500 paid off in revenue derived from the sale of water. Special assessment debt of \$250,000 paid off by property owners where improvements are made, such as street paving and sanitary sewer extension, and general debt of the city of \$102,300 against which the sinking fund trustees have on hand \$51,192.39 to apply on the debt, leaving an actual city debt of only \$101,167.61. This is taken care of by general taxation.

The general debt is being paid off at the average rate of \$15,400 annually, the report shows. Based on these figures the city will have a clean slate and the entire debt will be completely wiped out in four years with the funds now in the hands of the interest and sinking fund trustees.

The financial condition of the city is unusual and easily better than 90 per cent of cities of population the size of Xenia in the state, it is said. In fact, but two or three cities, regardless of size and population in the entire state, show a financial condition on a par with that of Xenia.

The general debt was decreased by \$121,300 in bonds which matured and were paid off last year. Twenty years ago, the old city council issued \$105,900 worth of refunding bonds. Several of these matured in the latter half of 1924 and were promptly paid off by the interest and sinking fund trustees.

The city issues nothing but serial bonds now which are gradually paid off each year, under a state law. The general bonded debt is being paid off at the rate of \$15,400 annually.

Numbered among the bonds paid off last year were several on the City Hall, meaning the city now has complete ownership.

The report shows a special assessment debt of \$250,800 in addition to the general debt which is paid off by property owners and is actually the debt of the general public. This amount is being reduced at the average rate of \$54,850 a year.

The public utility or city water

## MRS. WARNER MORRIS SUCCUMBS FRIDAY

Mrs. Maria W. Morris, wife of Warner Morris, passed away at her home in New Burlington, Friday morning at the age of 70 years. She had been in ill health for some time.

Surviving her besides her husband, are two sons, Lee Morris, of Dayton, and Lyle Morris of New Burlington. She was a life long member of the Friends Church.

Funeral services will be held at the home Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, standard time. Interment will be made in Spring Valley.

## COMMISSIONS HOPE TO AGREE ON SITE

No regular City Commission meeting was held Thursday night due to absence from the city of three members.

John W. Prugh is in Florida. Harry Sparks is vacationing in northern Michigan while S. M. McKay is spending several days at Lakeside, Ohio.

No date for the next adjourned session of the commission has been set by Judge H. L. Smith, president of the body.

### RECEIVE AT TEA HONORING GUEST

Mrs. W. E. Cox and Mrs. Jacob Baldwin received at 4 o'clock tea Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Baldwin on West Third Street for the pleasure of Mrs. Raymer C. Jewell of San Antonio, Texas, the houseguest of Mrs. Baldwin.

In the receiving line were Mrs. Cox, Mrs. Baldwin and Mrs. Jewell assisted by Mrs. Ray Cox.

Twenty small tables were scattered throughout the rooms and at each table summer bloom was arranged artistically.

Out-of-town guests received were Mrs. Ella Kendall of Columbus, O., Mrs. W. F. McCaughan, Mrs. Fred Kohne, Mrs. Stella Osborn and Mrs. Mae Smith all of Dayton, O., and Mrs. Robert Norton of Sumner, Miss., the house guest of Mrs. Frederick Anderson of this city.

### IS HOSTESS AT DINNER

Mrs. S. S. Wright of South Detroit Street was hostess at a two course dinner Thursday evening honoring Mr. and Mrs. Robert Conley and Mrs. Jane W. Chestnut of Crystal City, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Conley have been the guests of Mr. Conley's father, Mr. Will Conley of Cedarville and of Mrs. Conley's brother, the Rev. James L. Chestnut of Covington, O.

Covers were laid for the following guests, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Conley, Mrs. Jane W. Chestnut, of Crystal Springs, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Will Conley, Dr. and Mrs. W. R. McChesney, all of Cedarville; the Rev. and Mrs. James L. Chestnut and son Junior of Covington, O., Judge S. C. Wright and the hostess, Mrs. S. C. Wright.

### ENTERTAIN FOR HOUSEGUEST

Miss Emma Bright, Miss Wells Shiple, Miss Edith Robinson and Mrs. Clara Reutering were hostesses to a company of friends Thursday evening at a picnic party at the home of Miss Bright, Corwin avenue, complimenting Miss Etta Welling of West Carlisle, the house guest of Mrs. Ohmer Tate.

### EAST END NEWS

We wish to thank neighbors and friends who so ably assisted us during the illness and death of our mother.

Signed  
C. C. and I. J. WYNNE.

Mrs. Sarah Smith, 77, colored died at her home in New Jasper at 11 o'clock Thursday night, following a long illness. Her death occurred in the home where she had lived for 63 years.

She was the daughter of Elijah and American Hughes Smith. Surviving her are a brother, George, with whom she lived and two sisters: Mrs. Ann Proctor of Richmond, Ind., and Mrs. Mary E. Lewis of Chicago. Funeral plans will be announced later.

## Market News

### LIVE STOCK

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

Hogs — Receipts 16,000; market strong to 15c up; bulk \$12.75@14.25; top \$14.50; heavyweight \$13.50@14.30; medium weight \$13.80@14.50; light weight \$13.40@14.50; light lights \$12.80@14.25; heavy packing sows, smooth \$12.40@12.90; packing sows, rough \$12.10@12.40; pigs \$12.75@14.
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Cattle — Receipts 2500; market steady; beef steers — choice and prime \$13.75@14.60; medium and good \$11.50@13; good and choice \$12.50@14.65; common and medium \$7@11; butcher cattle — heifers \$5@12.25; cows \$4.50@9.50; bulls \$4@7; cannery and cutters — cows and heifers \$2.50@5; canner steers \$5@7; veal calves (light and heavy) \$8.50@11.50; feeder steers \$5.75@8.50; stocker steers \$5.50@8.25; stocker cows and heifers \$3.50@6; stocker calves \$5.50@8.
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Sheep — Receipts 12,000; market 250 lower; lambs: (fat) \$14.50@15.25; lambs: culs and common \$11@12; yearlings \$11@13; wethers \$9@11; ewes \$7@8.50; ewes: culs and common \$2.50@5; feeder lambs \$1@14.75.
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CINCINNATI LIVE STOCK Cattle, receipts 500; market steady, steers, good to choice \$9@11.
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Calves, market steady; good to choice \$10@11.
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Hogs, receipts 5,100; market weak, mostly 25c lower; good to choice packers and butchers \$14.60@14.95.
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Sheep, receipts 5,000; market steady; good to choice \$6@7.50.
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Lambs, market active, 50c higher; good to choice \$15@15.50.
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PITTSBURGH LIVE STOCK Cattle, Supply, 100; market steady, choice, \$11.50@12; prime, \$11@11.50; tidy butchers, \$8.25@9.25; fair, \$7@8; common, \$5.50@6.60; common to good fat bulls, \$4@6.50; common to good fat cows, \$2.50@5; heifers, \$6.75@7.75; fresh cows and springers, \$5@100; veal calves, \$12.
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Hogs, receipts, 1500; market, slow but higher; prime heavy hogs, \$14.75@14.85; heavy mixed, \$14.90@14.95; mediums, \$15.10@15.15; light hoggers, \$14.50@14.75; pigs, \$14.25@14.50; roughs, \$11@12.50; stags, \$6@7.
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Sheep and lamb, supply 200; market active and higher; good, \$8; lambs \$11; spring lambs, \$14.
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DAYTON LIVESTOCK HOGS Receipts 4 cars; market 25c higher.
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Heavy, 200 lbs. 14.40 Mediums, 130-200 lbs. 14.00 Pigs, 120 down 10.00@12.00 Stags 4.00@ 6.00 Sows 10.00@12.50
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Receipts 5 cars; market slow.
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Veal Calves 7.00@10.00
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CATTLE Receipts 5 cars; market slow.
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Sheep and lamb, supply 200; market slow.
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Calves 26@27c.
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Ducks, 26@27c.
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Geese, 18@20c.
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Apples, \$1.25@2.00.
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### PRODUCE

#### CLEVELAND PRODUCE MARKET

Butter, extra 46 1-2@47 1-2c.
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Prints, 47 1-2@48 1-2c.
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Firkins, 44 1-2@45 1-2c.
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Packing, 27@28c.
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EGGS, fresh 37c.
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Ohio Firkins, 32c.
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Western Firkins 31 1-2c.
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Oleo, nut 23c.
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High grade animal oils 27@27 1-2c.
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Lower grades 19c.
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Cheese, York State 27@28c.
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Poultry, Fowls 27@28c.
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Roosters 15c.
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Springers, 35c.
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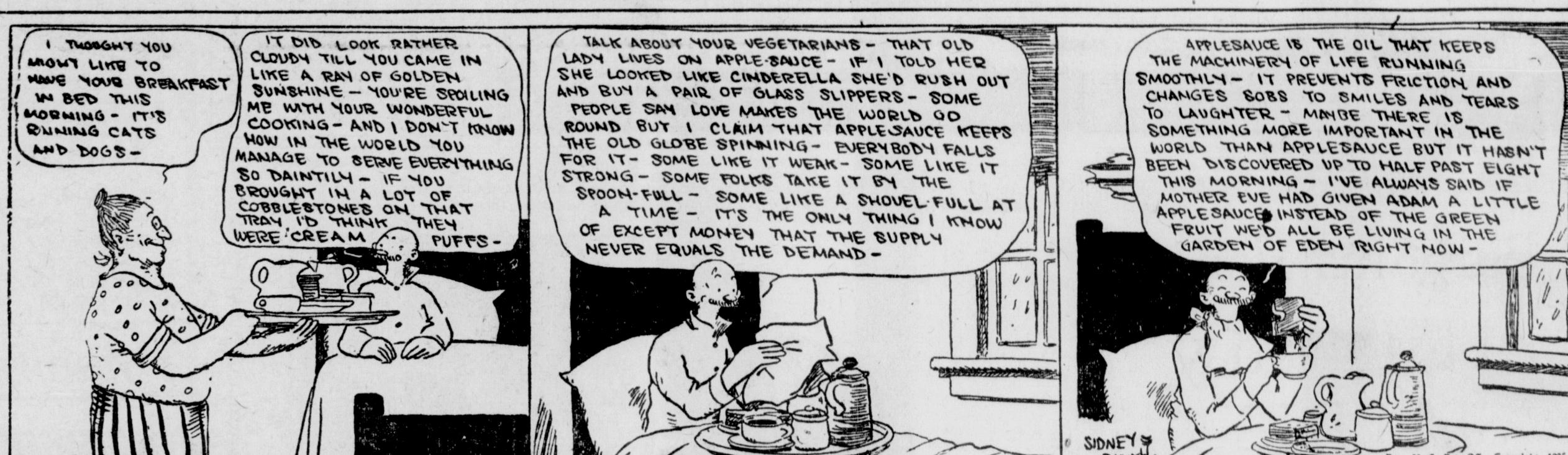
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THE GUMPS—APPLESAUCE
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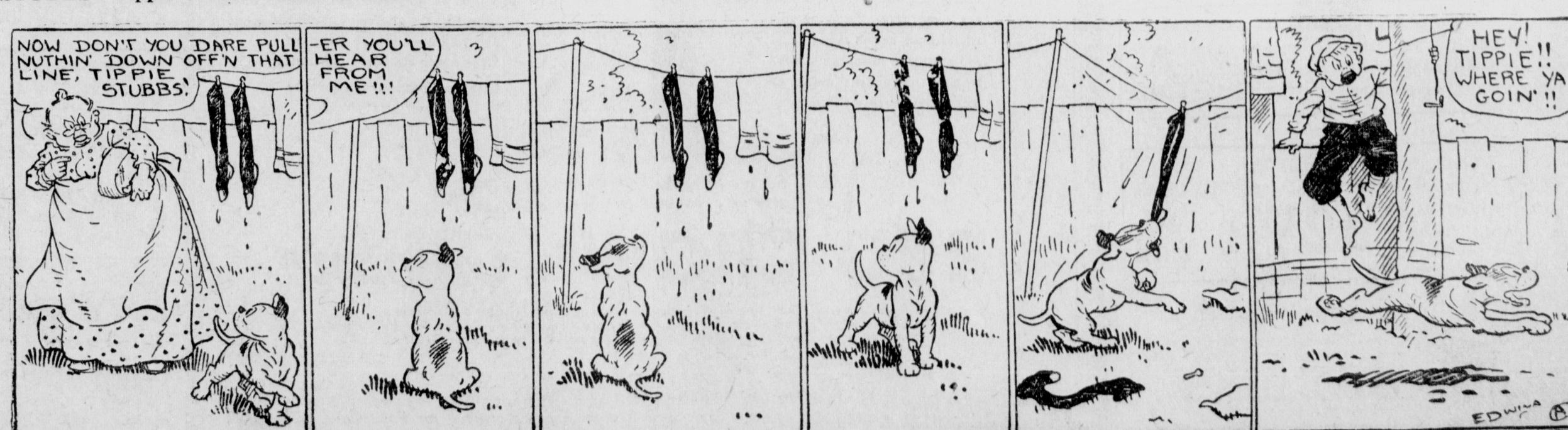
By CY HUNGERFORD

### SNODDLES—A Dangerous Locality



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### "CAP" STUBBS—Tippie Never Takes A Dare



By EDWINA

Raspberries \$6.50@12 bu.  
Blackberries \$5@5.50 bu.  
Beans, dried navy, 7 1-2c.  
Cabbage, \$1.50@2.  
Potatoes, \$6.50@6.75 Lb.  
Tomatoes, \$2.75 box.  
Onions, 5¢ per sack.  
Cucumbers \$1.75@2.25 box.

Five-pound Hens—23c.  
Spring Roasts—22c.  
Roosters—10c pound.  
Ducks—35c per pound.

Fries—25@30c pound.

Retail Prices

(Corrected by The Joe Frank Co., East 2829.)

Butter—50c pound.

Eggs—35c per doz.

Roasting Chickens—40c pound.

Stewing Chickens—40c pound.

1925 Fries—50c pound.

Boiling Chickens—25c pound.

Ducks—35c per pound.

Live hens—27c pound.

Live Roosters—18c pound.

Live Geese—22c pound.

1925 Broilers alive—40c pound.

Prices Being Paid at Plant for Live Poultry and Eggs

Chickens—22c pound.

Leghorn Broilers—25c pound.

Butter

(By Miami Valley Co-operative Milk Producers' Association.)

Butter—47c pound.

XENIA

Hens—19c.

Springers—25c.

Eggs—27c

Prices Paid for Delivery at the Plant:

Fresh Eggs—38c doz.

Stews—45c per pound.

Spring Roasts—45c.

## FIRST PLACE IN INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE AT STAKE WHEN KELLYS PLAY ROPEMAKERS

The R. A. Kelly and Hooten and Allison teams are scheduled to oppose each other at Washington Park Saturday afternoon in an Industrial League double-header with first position in the league at stake.

The Kellys hold a slight edge of fifty percentage points over the second place H. and A. bunch but a double win for the Ropemakers Saturday would alter the standing and give them a game and a half lead.

The Kellys have retained a tight

## UNBEATEN TEAMS TO MEET; MERCHANTS TO PLAY MILLARDS

### HOW THEY STAND

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsburgh	51	34	.600
New York	53	36	.596
Brooklyn	43	43	.500
CINCINNATI	42	43	.494
Philadelphia	42	45	.483
St. Louis	42	46	.477
Chicago	39	48	.448
Boston	37	54	.407

#### Yesterday's Results

Boston 6-3; New York 3-5. Pittsburgh 3; St. Louis 2. Others not scheduled.

#### Games Today

St. Louis at Pittsburgh. New York at Boston. Others not scheduled.

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	57	31	.648
Washington	57	32	.640
Chicago	49	44	.527
St. Louis	48	45	.516
Detroit	47	45	.511
CLEVELAND	41	42	.494
New York	38	53	.418
Boston	28	63	.307

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#### AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Louisville	64	32	.666
Kansas City	47	45	.521
Minneapolis	50	47	.515
St. Paul	48	46	.511
INDIANAPOLIS	48	47	.505
TOLEDO	43	50	.462
MILWAUKEE	41	56	.423
COLUMBUS	35	55	.389

#### Yesterday's Results

St. Paul 4; Minneapolis 1. Others not scheduled.

#### Games Today

Columbus at Indianapolis. Kansas City at Milwaukee. St. Paul at Minneapolis.

## EXCLUSIVE DATES SHOULD GIVE FAIR HERE GOOD CHANCE

The Hillsboro Fair is the only fair scheduled in this section of Ohio this year the dates for which conflict with the Greene County Fair, to be held from August 4 to 7, inclusive, according to Secretary J. Robert Bryson.

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This fact will greatly help the Geauga County annual attraction to be a success and will also assure a greater entry of horses in the local meet, Secretary Bryson believes.

Fifteen fairs are scheduled during the months of August, September and October in southern Ohio.

Following are the dates for county fairs in this section of the state:

Hillsboro Fair, July 28-31, at Rainsboro.

Greene County Fair, August 4-7, at Xenia.

Hillsboro Fair, August 4-7, at Hillsboro.

Clinton County Fair, August 11-14, at Wilmington.

Champaign County Fair, August 18-21, at Urbana.

Fayette County Fair, August 19-21, at Washington C. H.

Madison County Fair, August 25-28, at London.

Darke County Fair, August 24-28, at Greenville.

Montgomery County Fair, Sept. 7-11, at Dayton.

Warren County Fair, Sept. 15-18, at Lebanon.

Shelby County Fair, Sept. 15-18, at Sidney.

Preble County Fair, Sept. 28-Oct. 1, at Eaton.

Miami County Fair, Sept. 22-25, at Troy.

Butler County Fair, Oct. 6-9, at Hamilton.

### COURT NEWS

#### WANTS PROPERTY SOLD

Suit for \$225 has been filed in Common Pleas Court by Matilda Graves against George N. Anderson, Allie Anderson and The Peoples Building and Savings Company. The plaintiff alleges she recovered a judgment for \$225 against the first named defendant.

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ing to Secretary J. Robert Bryson.

The Clothiers are about the best

bet in the Reaper City this season

with a record of fifteen straight vic-

tories in as many contests. Nor has

the Millard nine encountered easy op-

position and "walk-overs" in its

games but has played such strong

teams as the Dayton Marcos, win-

ning 4 to 1 in the inaugural tilt of

the season.

The Merchants have been going at

a fast clip also this season and won

their eleven straight game last

Sunday. Merchant fans are banking

their hopes of victory on the sturdy

wings of Jones and Lewis, regular

hurlers, neither of whom has tasted

defeat this season.

MANY IMMIGRANTS

Defiance, July 24—Defiance County

is conducting a small melting pot for

aliens, it was revealed, when an agent

for the North German Lloyd line an-

nounced here that twenty-two immi-

grants from Germany had settled in

this county in the last two years.

Passage money, amounting in some

cases to more than \$1,000 for each

family, was supplied by relatives and

friends of the newcomers. All but

two of these have now found empl-

oyment and are self-supporting,

thus relieving citizens who guaran-

teed to support them until they found

employment.

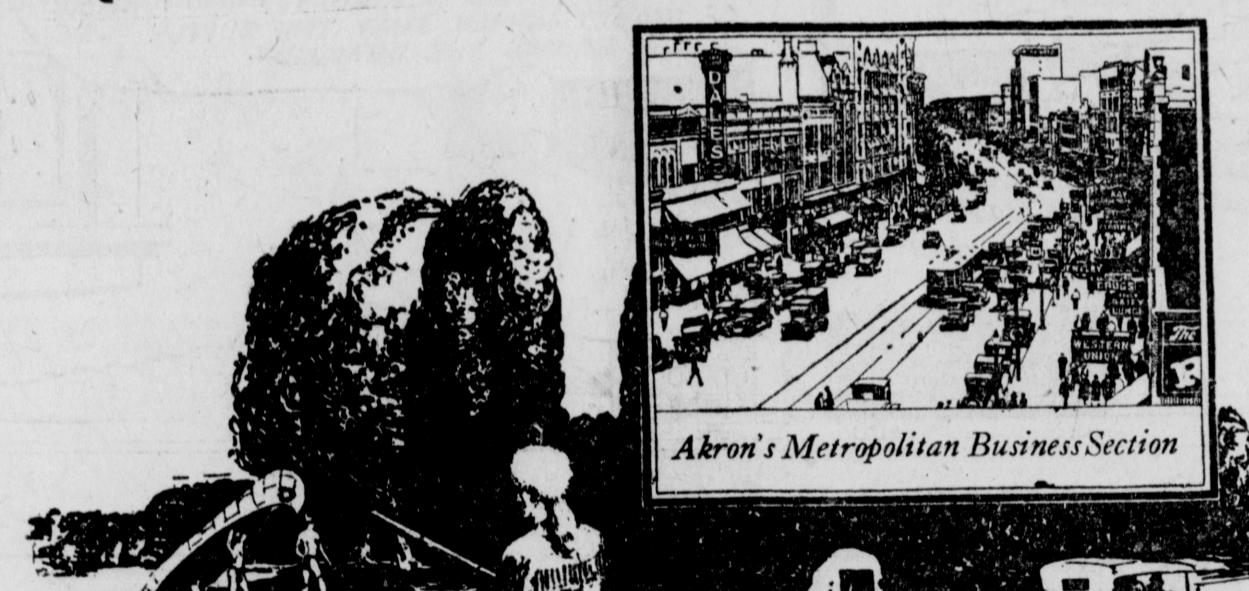
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### RAY COX

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This is No. 6 of a series of advertisements by the Standard Oil Co. [Ohio] designed to tell Ohioans about their interesting State and encourage them to see more of it.



Where man once tread the well-worn trail now lies Portage Lakes State Park, a chain of beautiful lakes, popular with campers and vacationists from all parts of Ohio.

### Where the Portage Trail Crossed the Divide

Akron's fashionable West Market residential section spans a range of hills forming the watershed between the Tuscarawas and Cuyahoga river valleys.

Streams rising south of this ridge pour into the far-distant Gulf of Mexico—those to the north empty at last into the North Atlantic by way of Niagara Falls and the mighty St. Lawrence.

Indian and early settler, traveling between Lake Erie and the Ohio River, had to "portage"—or carry—his canoe and all its load across these hills.

A handsome monument now stands in Perkins Park to mark the course of the ancient

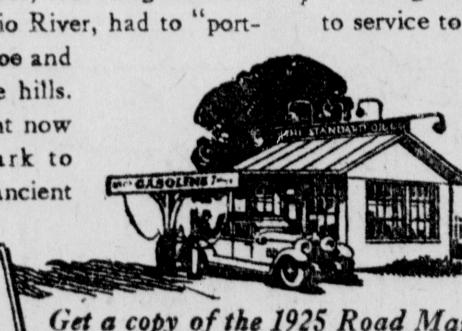
Portage Trail. Another, close by, commemorates that John Brown whose song-famed "soul goes marching

on"—who was once a resident of this city.

Akron, the Rubber Capitol of the world, supplies one of the essentials of modern motoring. This Ohio corporation supplies another—the fuel and lubricants your car must have

—through its state-wide organization devoted to service to the people of this State. For directions to local points of interest ask at any of the 15 Standard Oil Service Stations in Akron.

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SHOP IN XENIA

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ants in a Justice of the Peace court and has been unable to sell the property in payment because of lien on the premises claimed to be held by the savings company.

The plaintiff asks that this lien be set up and the property sold. C. W. Whitmer is attorney for the plaintiff.

### NAMED ADMINISTRATRIX

Lucy Dell has been appointed administratrix of the estate of William D. Dell, deceased, in Probate Court and has filed bond of \$1,000 which

was approved by the court. Bert Goodwin, George Bell and Samuel Knee were named appraisers.

### GUARDIAN APPOINTED

L. L. Taylor has been appointed guardian of William R. Gerhardt, Dorothy Gerhardt and Helen Gerhardt, minors, in Probate Court with \$1,000 bond.

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## PRINCESS HERMINE FAILS TO ANSWER TO KAISER'S HOPES

(Continued From Page One)

"Yes, I do know—but tell me why," Hermine interposed.

"Because, if I may be quite frank, with you, the kaiser is to the world the personification of all that which it disapproved, hated, combated and fought against in the war. He is regarded as the incarnation of 'Prussianism.'

## SCORES PROPAGANDA

"Yes, yes," rejoined Hermine and for the first time there was a note of bitterness and weariness in her voice. "That is the fruit of wartime propaganda. Lloyd George, Lord Northcliffe and others had to have their scape-goat, upon whom to centralize agitation."

"Well, Wilhelm, indeed is their victim. Only recently I read how hatefully the Italian ex-premier Sig. Nitti wrote about the kaiser, although Sig. Nitti knows many kind things he could say concerning Germany and the German people. But when he had the helm of the Italian ship of state he talked differently."

"What do you think about the crown prince's new book on the war guilt?"

"I find it very good. He sent me a copy the other day."

Hermine said her relations with all the kaiser's kin are of the most cordial. She corresponds with them regularly, especially with crown princes.

The noonday meal at Doorn is extremely simple and consists of a meat dish with potatoes, one other vegetable and dessert; after luncheon the kaiser smokes a cigarette and takes a little walk with his wife in the gardens.

"He doesn't smoke cigars because he knows I loathe them," Hermine continued her simple narrative.

"That is only one of countless little thoughtful touches that make our marital life so pleasant. He is always concerned with my likes and dislikes. On the other hand I try to keep him in my mind. There are never any cross currents between us. The world does not know Wilhelm second as he really is. It may picture him as a disgruntled, embittered, vain-glorious egotist, who spends his days in exile, cursing his enemies and brooding over some possible way to take revenge.

"I will tell you how he really is. I assure you what I tell is not because I am his wife. It is because it is the truth; if it were not so, I could pass over the subject in silence. (The concluding installment of this interview will be carried tomorrow.)

## TAKES POSITION



## BRINGING UP FATHER



## All Otto Understands Is Boloney; He's German Dog

Otto von Gabriel will have to learn to speak English before he will become popular in this country.

the Little Miami River, near Trebein, where Robert Lee was later arrested for the killing. Otto however, didn't know whether he was on a fishing excursion or was being taken out for the exercise. When Gillespie tried to get him warmed up to the chase, he thought Frank was trying to kid him. Efforts finally had to be abandoned while Connie E. did all the work.

Frank says Otto is a great dog, however, and when he learns the language, will turn out to be a smart canine. And Frank ought to know. When the puppies cry at the kennels, Frank can tell by ear whether they are hungry or whether it is a "micer" cry.

The dogs at the kennels are his constant companions and his pals. He finds them better companions than human associates most times.

## HAS DOG OWNER

Otto is the property of Henry Burkhardt, Dayton, who brought the German trained dog back from Germany with him recently. When Gillespie, who speaks dog language so that all breeds understand, gives Otto a command, the tourist thinks he is being insulted. The dogs at the kennels are his constant companions and his pals. He finds them better companions than human associates most times.

"Otto barks with a German accent now and nobody understands him. Likewise Otto doesn't understand anybody. For Otto is a German police dog and he is fresh reared and educated in Germany. Process of assimilation is now going on at the Shawnee Kennels, owned by Clark Poland, West Main Street. There Frank Gillespie, famous dog trainer, who high-schooled 'Guardian,' the trick dog owned by K. I. Estabrook, Dayton, is having a hard time making the immigrant canine understand his Gaelic dialect.

## HAT WAS FLAT TIRE

When there was a call for the police dogs to aid in the search for the slayer of Patrolman Charles Simms recently, Frank took Otto along for the experience. But Connie B., the crack man-chaser bought by Mr. Poland from the Pallade Kennels, Staten Island, N. Y., had to do all the work. Otto didn't know what it was all about. Picking up a cold trail, Connie B. led the searchers to the section along

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## By GEORGE McMANUS

## MICHAEL'S MARRIAGE

By MICHAEL

## CHAPTER 104.

Mrs. Pharley's early morning visit was unexpected, and Lilah was not prepared to meet her mother. She was still in the mood in which Michael had left her, and was at the breakfast table, idly contemplating her hands, when her mother swept in and kissed her.

"I just had to run in and see you," the visitor exclaimed, seating herself. "You haven't phoned me or anything."

"I've been busy—" Lilah responded, indefinitely.

The other woman eyed her shrewdly. "You two have been having trouble, haven't you?"

Lilah shook her head too convincingly, and Mother Pharley smiled.

Mother Pharley recovered. "What's the matter? Having trouble?"

"Not exactly. Mr. Manning wants to be president of a consolidation the company probably will enter, and he needs Michael's stock, so he is offering a very good price for it. Michael has felt for some time that Mr. Manning and the others want to get him out of the concern, because he is too conservative."

Mother Pharley departed half an hour later, after confiding a budget of family news.

She was upon Michael's mind when he came home that afternoon. He was wondering if Lilah had cried upon her shoulder and told her troubles.

Lilah did not mention the visit, and it repaid her for her husband to refer to it first.

"Everyone all right at home?" he asked at dinner.

"Yes... I told her about the change you were expecting to make, and she thinks you are doing exactly the right thing."

His fork paused in mid-air and went back to his plate.

"I wish you hadn't mentioned the —" he frowned. "If it should get out now—"

(To be continued).

## FAMOUS FRENCH RECIPES

## SPINACH LOAF

Paris.—Spinach loaf is a good Spring dish for vegetarians.

Clean well in several waters one pound of spinach and cook in boiling water for ten minutes. Remove and drain. Chop well.

Make a sauce with a large spoonful of butter and a little flour. When well mixed add a little milk, salt and pepper. Cook for a few minutes, stirring well. Add the yolks of two eggs. Pour this over the spinach and add

the whites, beaten into a firm snow. Put all into a buttered mold lined with bread-crumbs. Cook three-quarters of an hour over hot water. Remove from the mold and serve at once.

## POLICE COURT

## FINES RACERS

An impromptu race staged on Second Street Wednesday cost two motorists a total of \$34.80 in fines and costs, the amount assessed by Judge E. D. Smith in Police Court for speed driving, in violation of the city traffic ordinance.

Maynard Taylor and Colman Riddle, arrested by Special Deputy Sheriff Oliver Belden, were each fined \$11 and costs for speeding.

## Women are Right

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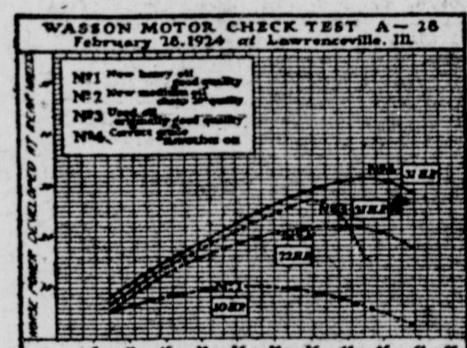
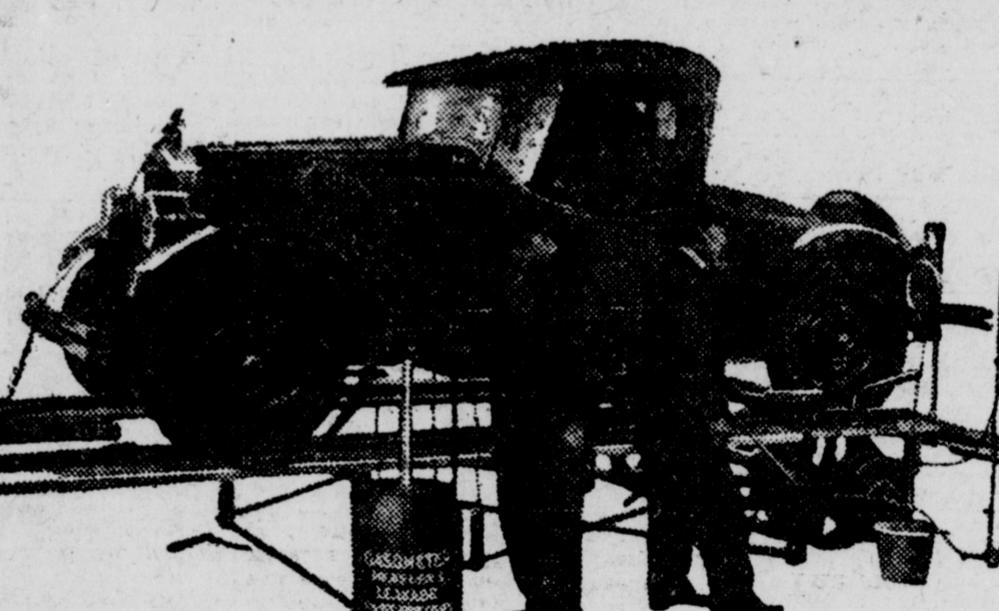
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## What Oil-Power looks like

This chart shows how one car—a 1924 model in good condition—performed in four tests with four different oils.

Bottom curve—Too heavy oil used. Ten H. P. the limit.

Second curve—Cheap oil used. Full power never developed. Limit 22 H. P.

Third curve—Old oil used. Power seriously lacking. Best showing was 27 H. P.

Top curve—Havoline as prescribed for that particular car. 31 H. P.

Car owners who have had first tests but not the second (detained in No. 8 below) are reminded of its importance. Get it—and your Oil Prescription—before the Motor Check departs.

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1. Test of car for horse-power.

2. Test for slippage of gases past pistons.

3. Test for timing accuracy.

4. Test of speedometer accuracy.

5. Test of wheel alignment.

6. Test of brake adjustment.

7. Test of car for slipping clutch.

8. Tests No. 1 and 2 repeated after you have driven car distance indicated by Motor Check engineer. This shows how Havoline is holding your power.

9. Your own personal Oil Prescription form for further reference.

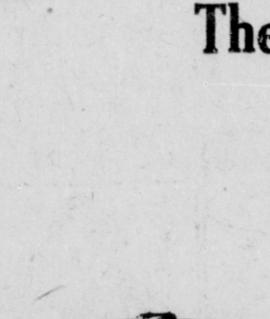
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